

Rollcall No. 644, on Agreeing to the Wittman Amendment to H.R. 3293, I would have voted "no."

Rollcall No. 645, on the Motion to Recommit with Instructions to H.R. 3293, I would have voted "no."

Rollcall No. 646, on Passage of H.R. 3293, I would have voted "yea."

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. BILL POSEY

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 27, 2009

Mr. POSEY. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks as well as in accordance with Clause 9 of rule XXI, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks for my Congressional District as a part of H.R. 3293—Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act.

Requesting Member: Rep. BILL POSEY and Rep. SUZANNE KOSMAS

Project Funding Amount: \$1,000,000

Bill Number: H.R. 3293

Account: Employment and Training Administration

Legal. Name of Requesting Entity: Brevard Workforce Development Board

Address of Requesting Entity: Brevard Workforce Development Board, 597 Havarti Court, Suite 40, Rockledge, Florida 32955.

Description of Request: This funding will be used for the Brevard Workforce Development Board's Aerospace Workforce Transition initiative. The project will focus on safety of the remaining shuttle missions while preparing the workers for new jobs upon completion of the shuttle missions. This issue deserves national attention due to the sensitive nature of the space program with regards to defense, research and U.S. prominence in future space initiatives.

Consistent with Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to any entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for entities unless the use of the funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. MICHAEL N. CASTLE

OF DELAWARE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 27, 2009

Mr. CASTLE. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding funding benefitting the State of Delaware included in H.R. 3326, the Fiscal Year 2010 Defense Appropriations Act.

Name of Intended Recipient: Delaware National Guard

Location: First Regiment Rd, Wilmington, DE 19808

Requesting Member: Congressman MICHAEL N. CASTLE

Account: DRUGS

Name of Project: Delaware National Guard Counterdrug Task Force

Project Description: The Act includes \$300,000 to provide counterdrug support to federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies and to Community Based Organizations requesting Drug Demand Reduction Assistance. Funding will provide unique military support and resources to our police agencies which enables the police to concentrate more police resources to other priorities in their department. Increased funding from federal appropriations will permit the Delaware National Guard to provide support to open requests from the FBI, Delaware State Police, and local authorities. It will also enable the Delaware Guard to expand its Drug Education Program.

Name of Intended Recipient: WL Gore & Associates

Location: 555 Paper Mill Rd., Newark, DE 19711

Requesting Member: Congressman MICHAEL N. CASTLE

Account: OM, DW

Name of Project: Special Operations Forces Modular Glove System

Project Description: The Act includes \$1,500,000 to accelerate the fielding of the Modular Glove System for U.S. Special Operations Forces (SOF). This is a five piece system that provides the war fighter the necessary protection across a wide range of climactic conditions. Developed to be compatible with the SOF's Protective Combat Uniform designed for frigid conditions, this SOF Modular Glove System provides cold weather protection to -50 degrees as well as waterproof protection in wet conditions. The Special Operations Command has an established requirement for a Modular Glove System to better meet the real-world mission needs of its SOF in a broad range of deployed environments. This funding would accelerate the fielding by about one year to ensure all U.S. SOF forces in theater have access to this high technology, readiness enhancing system.

Name of Intended Recipient: University of Delaware

Location: Hullahen Hall, Newark, DE 19716

Requesting Member: Congressman MICHAEL N. CASTLE

Account: RDTE, A

Name of Project: Composite Applied Research and Technology for FCS and Tactical Vehicle Survivability

Project Description: The Act includes \$1,500,000 to rapidly advance the Technology Readiness Level of existing and promising new ultra-lightweight composites structures and armor for combat and light, medium and heavy tactical vehicle applications. Using heavy materials such as steel and aluminum will continue to result in vehicles that are too heavy to transport and will overload vehicles that reduces life, increases maintenance costs and requires more frequent vehicle replacement. The project is addressing the critical needs of the U.S. Army to protect our soldiers and provide them with the best equipment to carry out their missions. Lightweight composite vehicle structures and armor increase mobility and mission payloads while increasing soldier protection against direct fire, improvised explosive devices and explosively formed penetrators.

Name of Intended Recipient: INVISTA S.à r.l.

Location: 2801 Centerville Road, Wilmington, DE 19808

Requesting Member: Congressman MICHAEL N. CASTLE

Account: RDTE, A

Name of Project: Improved Thermal Resistant Nylon for Enhanced Durability and Thermal Protection in Combat Uniforms

Project Description: The Act includes \$1,500,000 to increase the safety and protection of U.S. soldiers with improved flame resistant, durable, and lower cost materials for the U.S. Army combat uniforms. These improvements will meet an urgent need due to the threat of Improvised Explosives Devices (IED). This project will fund and accelerate research, development, testing, and evaluation for nylon fiber development, fiber formulation, fabric scale up and performance blend specification for U.S. Army combat uniforms.

Name of Intended Recipient: ILC Dover LP

Location: One Moonwalker Road, Frederica, DE 19946-2080

Requesting Member: Congressman MICHAEL N. CASTLE

Account: RDTE, DW

Name of Project: Joint Services Aircrew Mask Don/Doff Inflight Upgrade Project

Description: The Act includes \$1,500,000 for research, development, testing, and evaluation of a Joint Services Aircrew Mask, which will provide above the neck Chemical, Biological, and Anti-G protection to DoD aircrew personnel. The mask is a hood that goes over the wearer's head and seals at the neck. This project will enhance our military's mission capability while minimizing performance degradation in chemical and biological contaminated scenarios.

Name of Intended Recipient: Piasecki Aircraft Corporation Location: 2nd Street West, Essington, PA 19029

Requesting Member: Congressman MICHAEL N. CASTLE

Account: RDTE, N

Name of Project: X-49A Envelope Expansion Modifications

Project Description: The Act includes \$4,500,000 to conduct flight demonstrations at New Castle County Airport in Delaware on the Vectored Thrust Ducted Propeller (VTDP) Compound Helicopter technology's potential to increase rotorcraft speed, range, and survivability. These funds will cover the cost of design, fabrication, assembly, instrumentation and check out of propulsion and control system modifications that will enable flight beyond the current operating limits of the baseline conventional helicopter. Many current U.S. combat and humanitarian operations require rotorcraft capabilities well beyond those of existing fleet helicopters.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. CHRISTOPHER H. SMITH

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, July 27, 2009

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3183: Making Appropriations for Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies for Fiscal Year 2010.